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TITLE: K Division 2022-02-20 1400 hrs UPDATE COVID 19-Trucker Convoy Blockade of Canada/USA Border

ISSUE:
- Truck Convoy/Blockade of Port of Entry (POE) at Coutts, Alberta.

BACKGROUND:
- Information from RCMP, CBSA and United States Customs and Border Protection (USCBP) report a convoy and blockade at the Port of Coutts on Sunday, January 30, continuing from January 29, 2022.
- The Port of Coutts operates 24 hours, and is the largest POE in Alberta. Hundreds of commercial and personal vehicles travel through this major thoroughfare on any given day.
- There are border crossings located at Coutts, Del Bonita, and Carway, Alberta. Coutts is the only 24-hour crossing.
- The Coutts POE is positioned on Highway 4 on the Canadian side, and I-15 on the USA side. Coutts is in the Milk River detachment area, Del Bonita is in the Raymond detachment area, and Carway is in the Cardston detachment area.

Current Status as of 1400 hrs on Sunday, 2022-02-20:
- There are approximately a dozen people on site, in various RVs and vehicles; numbers are dropping even compared to yesterday's relatively sparse crowd.
- Currently there are approximately 20 personal vehicles, 8 RVs, 1 horse trailer, 1 crane (being used to fly a flag) at the lawful protest site which was set up 3 miles from CP10, approximately 21 mile north of the Coutts POE.
- Overall sense is calm and essentially nothing occurring; weather is cold and windy.
- There is no sense of likelihood or intention to attempt to re-block the border; local Silver command has resources and plans to detect/deter/prevent same.

STRATEGIC COMMUNICATIONS:
- There is an MRO and Spokesperson on-site, providing updates to media as applicable.
- Media are updated primarily via phone / email or via in-person interview.
- Social media continues to be monitored.

CONDUCT / CIVIL RISK ASSESSMENT:
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